

MAY CALL OFF  
GRAND LODGELocal Odd Fellows Ask It  
Done in Interest of Economy and War Needs.

El Paso Odd Fellows have recommended to the grand lodge of Texas that the meeting of the grand body set for Waco next March be postponed for a year, on account of the need of funds for carrying on relief work among Odd Fellows in the army and their families. It has been ascertained, a committee of lodge 294 said, that all the money that can be raised for the emergency fund in Texas will be needed, and that there should be no legislation that cannot be put off for a year.

Mr. Franklin Thompson, of El Paso, will have a scholarship tonight of a degree which he intends to present the degree in September to a class of candidates. The captain is H. P. Hansen. He submitted a report on his trip to Corsicana, Texas, to the grand lodge, dwelling upon the visit to the Odd Fellows' home there. He reported that grand master C. M. Branchfield, of Henderson, Texas, is endeavoring to get the southern grand lodge to organize a delegation to go to France and establish a grand lodge of Odd Fellows in the army, under the jurisdiction of the sovereign grand lodge of the United States, which would be a body that all American Odd Fellows could affiliate with. Mr. Branchfield expects to visit El Paso late this year.

Monday night Odd Fellows lodge 294 will have a social hour and be served refreshments by a committee headed by E. C. Purney.

**Macabres Are Active.**  
At Monday night meeting of El Paso lodge 116, of the Macabres, several candidates were initiated and six more elected to membership. J. H. Purney, deputy great commander, from San Antonio, Texas, has been working with the local tent for two weeks and has succeeded in getting a good many new members and reviving interest among the old members. The tent holds regular meetings every Monday night in the Mundy building. Monday night it is expected a large class of new members will be taken in. Officers for the balance of the year will be elected and refreshments served.

**Decorative Cornerstone Laid.**  
News comes from Fort Worth of the laying of the cornerstone of the new boys' cemetery of the Masonic home there. Judge R. H. Hook was the principal speaker. Among the officers of the grand lodge of Masons of Texas present were Frank C. Jones, of Houston, grand master; John R. Henderson, of Henderson, deputy grand master; A. A. Ross, of Lockhart, grand senior warden; and W. B. Prater, of Waco, grand secretary. The new cemetery will cost \$200,000 and will house 200 boys with teachers and matrons. Walter Acker is the superintendent. He visited El Paso last spring.

**Shriners on Picnic September 2.**  
Shriners of El Paso temple are laying further plans for an enjoyable picnic outing at the Glen Grove, near San Elizario, and on the beach at the El Paso lake on Labor day, September 2. Automobiles will take the party of men and women to the picnic grounds from the Masonic temple in El Paso early that morning.

**Fund Committee Will Meet.**  
El Paso Elks will hear addresses on fund conservation on the first meeting night in September. The committee is composed of the grand lodge of Elks to make known the government's program on those lines for the duration of the war. V. R. Stiles is chairman of the program committee. Tuesday night initiatory work was conferred on one candidate in Elks lodge 157.

**K. P. Takes In Three.**  
K. P. Elks, Robert G. Harris and Harry Fay were made initiates in the Knights of Pythias Thursday night in lodge 42. They will receive the rank of knight next Thursday night. H. M. Stradley was accepted on transfer from a lodge at Anniston, Ala.

**El Paso Lodge 42 Probably Will Add**  
This to the way relief fund of the supreme lodge. K. P. Harris received a call to the donations of \$11 each from all members of the order in the county.

**Masonic Officers Meet Tonight.**  
To hear the report of the Elks lodge, delegates to the recent convention of the supreme lodge of the Elks order of Elks, officers of the El Paso lodge will meet tonight. Other regular business will be taken up.

**Masons Working Regularly.**  
Elks lodge Masons and those of the royal arch and control degrees have been working last week on degrees and pinpoints. El Paso lodge held the customary initiation. The chapter meets on September 12, and in the meantime the council officers are getting ready for a ceremonial at which the royal arch and control degrees will be presented to a large class. The date probably will be set for the middle of next month.

PERU IS GETTING READY  
TO BREAK WITH GERMANY

Washington, D. C., Aug. 24.—Peru's readiness to break relations with Germany is clearly indicated in the Peruvian president's recent message to congress, the text of which was received from the American minister and made public yesterday by the state department. The president of the United States in entering the war was endorsed, and it was intimated that Peruvian vessels were used in American warships.

Unofficial dispatches from Amsterdam suggest Peru's readiness to make an ultimatum as the result of a German prize court's refusal of damages for the sinking of the Peruvian steamer Vessal, loaded with foodstuffs, by a German submarine. The prize court's decision was regarded here as preparing the way for a rupture of relations.

DALLAS LEATHER WORKERS  
ARE GOING ON STRIKE

Dallas, Tex., Aug. 24.—Asserting that the manufacturers have refused their demands for an increase in wages and shorter hours, leather workers in this city who are said to be working on government contracts for harness and other goods, are quitting work as they complete jobs which they have agreed to furnish, according to a statement made by W. P. Altemus, member of the executive board of the local union of the United Brotherhood of Leather Workers.

Officials of the companies, who hold the contracts say they will not recognize the union nor grant the demands of the men. They also assert that their operations are not being handicapped.

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OUR SCHOOL PREPARATION WEEK  
For Children And Junior Girls Begins Here Tomorrow  
An Incomparable Event On The New Third Floor

**S**CHOOL PREPARATION WEEK begins Saturday Morning, August 25th, at 8:30. This great event spells economies for every home blessed with children. It is not only an ideal time to buy the School Outfit for the Girl and the Junior Girl, but it offers an unusual opportunity for the mother to buy her baby's Fall and Winter wardrobe at radically reduced prices on fresh new Apparel and Accessories. SCHOOL PREPARATION WEEK is sure to prove the most interesting event ever held for Children in El Paso. We want every Mother to come.



**L**AST MONDAY—OUR OPENING DAY—we demonstrated beyond the shadow of a doubt that Our New Children's Department on the 3rd Floor was the largest, most modern and best equipped Children's Store in Texas. Now we propose to demonstrate very thoroughly that THE WHITE HOUSE VALUES stand SUPREME in the Southwest. It is unusual to buy fresh new Apparel for Children at such reductions in price named here and for this reason our patrons and Mothers generally should take advantage of these remarkable values. Doors open Tomorrow at 8:30—be here on time.

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**DAINTY** White Dresses for Girls 6 to 14 years. Made of a sheer quality lawn and organdie and beautifully trimmed with laces, embroidery and ribbon sashes. \$1.50 to \$2.50 values for . . . **98c**

**\$3.95 SERGE & CORDUROY DRESSES \$2.95**—Shown in sizes for Girls 6 to 14 years. Excellent styles for School wear. New Fall colors. Regular \$3.95 values for . . . **\$2.95**

**\$4.95 SERGE DRESSES \$3.95**—Just 60 Dresses at this price for Girls 6 to 14 years. Made of all wool serge trimmed with novelty silk and messaline. \$4.95 values . . . **\$3.95**

**\$6.95 & \$7.45 PIQUE DRESSES \$5.95**—Shown in sizes for Children and Junior Girls in sizes 6 to 16 years. Handsome white pique in new models. \$6.95 and \$7.45 values . . . **\$5.95**

EXTRA  
\$7.50 Black Plush Coats \$4.95

—New 3rd Floor—

**A** SPECIAL lot of FIFTY black silk Plush Coats for little Girls 2 to 6 years. Every Mother should take advantage of this offer as black silk plush coats are very hard to secure. Smart new Fall and Winter styles. \$7.50 values for . . . **\$4.95**

## GIRLS' \$6.50 Serge Dresses At \$4.95

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**A** VERY limited collection at this low price. Shown in sizes 6 to 14 years. Made of fine French and storm serges with novelty silk trimmings. Some regulation or Peter Thompson styles for school wear. \$6.50 values for . . . **\$4.95**

**PARTY AND AFTERNOON COATS AT \$5.95**—A wonderful value in Girls' regular \$10.00 silk party and afternoon coats made of fine taffeta in new Autumn hues. Sizes 6 to 10 years. Extra special . . . **\$5.95**

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**\$1.95 RAIN CAPES FOR GIRLS AT \$1.79**—Made of guaranteed waterproof material in natural linen color. Sizes 4 to 14 years. \$1.95 values . . . **\$1.79**

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EXTRA  
Children's \$3.50 Shoes \$2.98

**O**N the "Main Floor" we offer Children's regular \$3.50 Patent Kid Lace Shoes with grey cloth tops in all sizes at . . . **\$2.98**

Specials  
For Infants & Children

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**75c BATH ROBES 48c**—Pretty Bath Robes for the baby. Made of pink and blue Reunion robe with dainty designs. 75c values for . . . **48c**

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**75c MATTRESS PROTECTORS 19c**—Made of finely quilted muslin over pure white cotton. Sizes for babies' beds. 75c values . . . **19c**

**\$1.25 CRIB QUILTS 95c**—Every baby should have one or more. Made of soft flannel cotton and covered with pretty fabrics with floral designs. \$1.25 values for . . . **95c**

**65c CRIB BLANKETS 48c**—Famous "Beacon" Crib Blankets in pink and blue. Size 30x40 inches. Nursery designs. Sat. only. 65c values for . . . **48c**

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25c Pillow Slips . . . 19c  
50c Sheets to Match . . . 39c  
\$1.00 Bed Spreads . . . 49c  
25c Bath Towels . . . 19c  
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**25c MUSLIN SKIRTS 19c**—A beautiful showing of infants' long and short muslin skirts with dainty lace and novelty trimmings. Regular 25c values. Extra special SCHOOL PREPARATION WEEK . . . **19c**

**39c FLANNEL GERTRUDES 29c**—Long flannel Gertrudes in open shoulder styles. Made of the finest finished flannel. Regular 39c values. Extra special . . . **29c**

EXTRA  
Girls Muslin Drawers 5c

**J**UST 75 dozen Drawers for Girls 2 to 14 years purchased for this sale. Made of soft sheer muslin. Well made. Extra special . . . **5c**

## Infants' &amp; Children's HOSIERY

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**50c SOX AT 25c**—Children's and Infants' fancy silk lace Sox in plain, novelty and embroidered clock effects. Sizes 3 to 6. 50c values . . . **39c**

**55c HOSIERY FOR 25c**—Children's and Infants' silk hose Hosiery in famous "Gordon Make". Black and white only. Sizes 3 to 6. 55c values for . . . **29c**

**20c COTTON HOSIERY 15c**—Girls' and Boys' cotton rib Hosiery in white and black only. Sizes 3 to 6. 20c values . . . **15c**

**12 1/2c HOSIERY FOR 9c**—Infants' black 1 1/2 ribbed cotton Hosiery in (a) color. All sizes 3 to 6. 12 1/2c values for . . . **9c**

EXTRA  
Children's 25c Sox 19c

**C**HILDREN'S and Infants' silk lace and fancy cotton Sox in all sorts of novelty combination clock effects. Sizes 3 to 6. 25c values . . . **19c**

## Children's Knit Underwear, Waists &amp; Ties

—MAIN FLOOR—

**50c VESTS OR PANTS 38c**—Famous Mills white bleached cotton vests and pants. Vests have enameled edge. All styles. Sizes 2 to 10 years. 50c values, each . . . **38c**

**75c UNION SUITS 59c**—Children's Famous Mills all white medium weight ribbed cotton Union Suits in Fall styles. Sizes 3 to 10. 75c values . . . **59c**

**FERRIS 50c CORSET WAISTS 39c**—Famous "Ferris" Corset Waists for Children 7 to 11 years. Made of good cotton. Every new idea. 50c values for . . . **39c**

**25c SILK TIES FOR 18c**—A special lot of novelty ties, plaid and solid color silk Windmills with pointed and bias cut ends. 25c values . . . **18c**

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Juniors' \$12.50 Party Frocks \$9.95

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For Infants & Children

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**65c CREEPERS & ROMPERS 48c**—Sizes 6 months to 3 years. Made of soft finished flannel and other fabrics. 65c values for . . . **48c**

**50c SLIPS OR DRESSES 39c**—Soft finished flannel Slips and Dresses for Infants. Long and short styles. Lace and embroidery trimmed. 50c values . . . **39c**

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**25c BARROW COATS FOR 19c**—Infants' flannel Barrow Coats made of the softest flannel. Regular 25c values. Extra special . . . **19c**

EXTRA  
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**J**UST 100 Children's Coats in sizes 2 to 6 years for this sale. Made of excellent materials. Some velvet and plush trimmed. Remarkable 2.95 values . . . **\$1.95**

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